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SUBJECT: ANTIDUMPING PROCEEDINGS -- TREASURY INITIATES
INVESTIGATION OF SUGAR IMPORTS

1. TREASURY WILL PUBLISH IN FEDERAL REGISTER OF AUGUST
17 OR 18 NOTICE OF ANTIDUMPING PROCEEDINGS CONCERNING
IMPORTS OF SUGAR FROM BELGIUM, FRANCE, AND THE FEDERAL
REPUBLIC OF GERMANY.

2. U.S. IMPORTS OF SUBJECT MERCHANDISE FROM THESE
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COUNTRIES AMOUNTED TO \$10.1 MILLION IN 1977.

3. THIS INVESTIGATION IS BEING REFERRED TO THE U.S.
INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION FOR A THIRTY DAY PRE-
LIMINARY INJURY INQUIRY IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 201
(C)(2) OF THE ANTIDUMPING ACT OF 1921. THAT SECTION
PROVIDES THAT WHEN THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY HAS

SUBSTANTIAL DOUBT AS TO WHETHER THERE IS INJURY AT THE TIME OF THE INITIATION OF AN ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION, HE MAY REFER THE CASE TO THE ITC WHILE CONTINUING HIS INVESTIGATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE. IF, AFTER A 30 DAY INQUIRY, ITC DETERMINES "THERE IS NO

REASONABLE INDICATION THAT AN INDUSTRY IN THE UNITED STATES IS BEING, OR IS LIKELY TO BE INJURED, OR IS BEING PREVENTED FROM BEING ESTABLISHED," TREASURY'S INVESTIGATION OF POSSIBLE SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE WILL BE TERMINATED.

4. EMBASSIES OF BELGIUM, FRANCE AND FRG WILL BE INFORMED AUGUST 14. TREASURY WILL ISSUE PRESS RELEASE AUGUST 15. ABOVE FOR EMBASSY USE IN RESPONDING TO INQUIRIES ON/AFTER AUGUST 15.

5. COPY OF FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE FOLLOWS BY AIRGRAM. DECONTROL FOLLOWING AUGUST 15. VANCE

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